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PERRYSBURG, O., THURSDAY, APRIL 25, 1861.

SHERIFF'S SALES, &C. CHERIFF'S SALE.

Robert W. Freeman va Sylvanus Jefferson and S.

B. Clark.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered from the Court of Common Pleas of Wood county, Ohio, in the above entitled cause, I shall offer for sale at public auction at the door of the Court House, in Perrysburg, in said county, on Saturday, May 11th, 1561, between the hours of 12 m. and 2 o'clock p. m., the following described lands and tenoments, to-witt the north half of the south half of the north-east quarter of section thirty-six, township five north of range nine east, in Wood county, Ohio.

Asher Cook, atty.

G. E. GUYER, sheriff.

April 10th, 1861—42w5\$3 31.

SHERIFF'S SALE, TUSCARAWAS COM-MON PLEAS.
Ludwig Kneedler & Co. vs John W. Morrow et al.
By virtue of a vendi exponas issued from said
Court I shall at the door of the Court House in the
town of Perrysburg, in the county of Wood and

town of Perrysburg, in the councy state of Ohio, on Saturday, May 4th, 1861, between the hours of 12 m. and 1 o'clock p. m., of said day offer for sale at public auction the following described lands and tenements, to wit the south half of the south-west quarter of section number eighteen, township four, range nine; containing seventy-eight and 48-100 acres of land more or less, situate in of Wood county, Ohio.

G. E. GUYER, sheriff. MURRAY, SLEVIN & SPAFFORD, atty's. April 3d, 1861-48w5\$3 51.

SHERIFF'S SALE, GALLERY

Asher Cook vs Andrew Morehouse.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered from the Court of Common Pleas of Wood county, Ohio, in the above entitled cause I shall of-

county, Onto, in the above entitled cause? shall of-fer for sale at public anction at the door of the Court House in Perrysburg, in said county, on Saturday, May 11th, 1861, between the hours of 12 m, and 2 o'clock, p. m., of the following described lands and tenements, to-wit the north-west quarter of the north-east or of section ten.in township four north of range nine cast, in Wood county, Ohio; containing forty acres more or less.

G. E. GUYER, sheriff.

April 10th, 1861—49w5\$3.

SHERIFF'S SALE. Joseph Shook vs Cyrenus Goodell, et al. By virtue of an order of sale issued in the above case by the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Wood county, Ohic, and to me directed and delivered, I will offer for sale at public vendue at the

ered. I will offer for sale at public vendue at the door of the Court House, in the town of Perrysburg, Wood county, Ohio, on Saturday, May 11th, 1861,
between the hours of 10 a. m. and 2 p. m., of said day the following described lands and tenements, towit: the east half of the north-east quarter of section 28, township 6, range 12, in Wood county, Ohio.

G. E. GUYER, sheriff.

Dodge & Tyler, atty's.

April 10th, 1861 -49w5\$3 14.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

Amedie Rappe vs Norman C. Baldwin et al. By virtue of an order of sale issued in the above ease by the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Cuyahoga county, Ohio, and to me directed and delivered, I will offer for sale at public vendue at the door of the Court House in the town of Perrysburg, Wood county, Ohio, on

Wood county, Ohio, on
Saturday the 11th day of May, 1861,
between the hours of 10 a, m. and 2 p, m of said day,
the following described londs and tenements, to-wit:
that portion of river tract number 80, south of the
Dayton and Michigan railroad, containing 70-100 of
an acre. Also that portion of river tract number 81,
south of Said road entaining 25 acres. Also that portion south of said road, containing 25 acres. Also the undi-vided one-half of river tract 82, containing 94 acres. Also out-lots of the town of Perrysburg, Wood county, Ohio, numbers 103 and 187; also in-lots of Perrysburg, numbers 629, 703, 704, 713, 714, 739, 749, 750, 763, 764, all in Wood county, Ohio.

H. H. Donge, art'y. G. E. GUYER, sheriff, April 17th, 1861—50w4\$3-70.

SHERIEF'S SALE. .

Christian Fletcher vs James E. Slater. By virtue of a certain writ of execution issued in the above cause by the Clerk of the Court of Com-mon Pleas of Wood county, Ohio, and to me directed and delivered, I will offer for sale at public vendue at the door of the Court House in the town of Per-

rysburg, Wood county, Ohio, on
Saturday, May 4th, 1861,
between the hours of 10 a. m., and 2 o'clock p. m.,
of said day the following described lands and tenements to-wit: the south-west quarter of section num-ber thirty-three, township number three, range num-ber eleven east, containing 160 acres more of less all in Wood county, Ohio. Appraised at \$3,000. G. E. GUYER, Sheriff. April 3d, 1861-48w5\$3 31.

PETITION FOR DIVORCE,—WOOD COM-MON PLEAS.

Mary A. Harrison vs John S. Harrison.

Mary A. Harrison vs John S. Harrison.

John S. Harrison whose present place of residence
is unknown to the plaintiff will take notice that Mary
A. Harrison of Wood county Ohio, did on the 2d day
of April, 1861, file her petition in the Court of Common Pleas within and for the county of Wood and
state of Ohio, against the said John S. Harrison, setting forth that the plaintiff on or about the 18th day
of April, 1857, was married to said defendant; that said defendant since that time has been guilty of gross neglect of duty towards plaintiff, willful absence and abuse and that said cause will be for hearing at the May term of court which sets on the 14th day of May. Cook, Price & Jousson, April 3d, 1861-48w63 65.

SHERIEF'S SALE.

Charles W. Wells vs Thomas M. Carey. By virtue of an order of sale issued in the above case by the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Wood county and to me directed and delivered I will offer for sale at public vendue at the door of the Court House in the town of Perrysburg, Wood county, Ohio, on Saturday, May 4th, 1861,

between the hours of 12 m. and 1 o'clock p. m. of said day the following discribed lands and tene-ments, to-wit: west half of the north-east quarter of section twenty-nine,of township three north of range pine cast, in Wood county, Ohio. G. E. GUIER, sheriff. MURBAY, SLEVIN & SPAPFORD, atty's. April 3d, 1861-48w5\$3 31.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

T. M. & W. L. Heller vs James E. Slater. By virtue of a certain writ of execution issued in this cause by the Clerk of the Court of Common Pleas of Wood county, Ohio, and to me directed and delivered, I will offer for sale at public vendue at the door of the Court House in the town of Perrys-

the door of the Court House in the town of Perrysburg, Wood county, Ohio, on
Saturday, the 4th day of May, 1861,
between the hours of 10 a. m., and 2 o'clock p. m.,
of said day the following described lands and tenements to-wit: the south-west quarter of section
number thirty-three, township number three, range
number eleven east, containing 140 acres more or
less all in Wood county, O. Appraised at \$3,000.

April 3d, 1861—48er583 31

April 3d, 1861-48ev5\$3 31.

GUARDIAN SALE. On the 27th day of April, 1861, at 11 o'clock a. m., on the premises herein after described will be sold to the highest bidder the following real estate as the property of Jacob Haaga, to-wit: lot number 15, in section number 16 in township 3, north of range 11 east, in Wood county, Ohio; containing 40 acres. Terms of sale one-third cash and the balance in two equal annual payments with interest secured by mortgage. JACOB FRANKFATHER,

Guardian of JACOB HAAGA. Cook, Price & Johnson, att'ys. April 17th, 1861-50w231 51.

DETER BELL ATTORNEY AT LAW, AND NOTARY PUBLIC.—
Will attend promptly to all business intrusted to his
care. Office in the Court House with Cook, Price &
Johnson.

Nov. 29, 1869—17.

LECAL NOTICES. NOTICE.—COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF

NOTICE.—COURT OF COMMON PLEAS OF WOOD COUNTY, OHIO.

Summer R. Stone vs Benjamin T. Robbins.

The said Benjamin T. Robbins, of the city of Newark, in the State of New Jersey, is bereby notified that the said Summer R. Stone, of the city of Brooklyn in the State of New York, did on the 19th day of March, 1861, file his potition in the Court of Common Pleas within and for the county of Wood, in the State of Ohio, against the said Benjamin T. Robbins, defendant, setting forth that the said Benjamin T. Robbins gave a mortgage to the said Summer R. Stone on the following described tracts of land situate in said county of Wood, to-wit: the east part of the South-west quarter of section number nine-teen, in township number four, range number eleven east, containing eighty acres, more or less; and also the east, containing eighty acres, more or less; and also the east half of the south-west quarter of the north-west quarter of section number eight, township number three, range number eleven east, containing twenty acres, mor or less, to secure the payment of five hundred dollars with the interest that might accrue thereon, according to a bond referred to in said mortgage, and praying that said bond referred to in said mortgage, and praying that said Benjamin T. Robbins may pay said sum now claimed to be due, to-wit: the sum of five hundred and thirty dollars and forty-five cents, with interest thereon at seven per cent from the 20th day of December, 1860, or that in default thereof that said premises may be sold to pay the same, and the said Benjamin T. Robbins is notified that he is required to appear and answer said petition on or before the third Saturday after the 25th day of April next.

SUMNER R. STONE.

MURRAY, SLEVIN & STAFFORD, atty's for S. R. STONE.

March 20th, 1861—46wi\$6 85.

Henry B. Goucher of Picatonica, in the county of in the State of Illinois, will take notice that John Beard of the county of Wood, in the State of Ohio, did on the 18th day of March, 1861, file his petition in the Court of Common Pleas of Wood county, in the State of Obio, against the said Henry B. Goucher, John Franks and Jacob Perkey as administrator of Samuel Ulery, deceased, defendants, setting forth that the said John Beard, on the 30th day of October, 1800, obtained a judg-ment in said Court against the said Henry B. Goucher for the sum of \$523 02 and costs of suit, that said Gouch-er was a hon-resident of the State of Ohio, and had no goods and chattles subject to execution wherewith to satisfy said judgment, that said judgement was a lien upon the following described premises situate in said county of Wood, to-wit: the north-east quarter of section county of Wood, to-wit: the north-east quarter of section thirty-one in township 3, north of range eleven east: the south half of the South-east quarter of Section thirty, in township and range aforesaid and so much of the east half of the south-east quarter of section thirty-six, in township three, north of range ten east as lies on the north side of the center of the Sandusky & Defiance road running east and west through said last described premises; that the said John Franks elaimed to hold a mortgage on all or a part of said premises; that the said Jacob Perkey claims to hold a lien on a part or all of said premises, as administrator as aforesaid; that said Goucher has no other property in the State of Ohio.

said premises, as administrator as aforesaid; that said Goucher has no other property in the State of Ohio.

The prayer of said petition is that the said Franks and said Perkey may set forth their respective claims or liens to and upon said premises that the Court will adjust the priorities of the same with that of the said plaintiff, and among the said defendants, that said real estate may be ordered to be sold and the proceeds applied on said claims according to their priorities of lien &c. Said Goucher is notified that he is required to appear and answer said petition on or before the third Saturday after the 25th day of April, 1861.

E. Brown, atty for J. Beand.

March 20th, 1861—46w6\$8 65.

CHERIFF'S SALE.

John A. Cruthars vs Sarah Jane Wilson, executrix of the estate of James Wilson, dec. By virtue of an order of sale issued in the above case by the Clerk of the Court of Common Picas of county,Ohio, and to me directed and delivered as Sheriff of Wood county, I will offer for sale at pupile vendue, at the door of the Court House, in the town of Perrysburg,

Wood county, Ohio, on
Saturday, the 27th day of April, 1861,
between the hours of 10 a. m., and 2 p'clock p. m., of
said day the following described lands and tenements. said day the following described lands and tenements, to-wit: the east half of the south-west quarter of section number twenty-nine, in township number three, in range number ten, in Wood county, Ohio: containing eighty acres, more or less.

G. E. GUYER, sheriff.

W. F. SANDERS, atty. March 27th, 1861-47w5\$3-48.

CHERIFF'S SALE.

Abram Krill vs Charles C. Baird. By virtue of an execution issued from said Court in the above entitled cause and to me directed and delivered I shall offer for sale at the door of the Court House in the town of Perrysburg, Ohio, on Saturday, April 27th, 1861,

Saturday, April 27th, 1861,
between the hours of 12 m, and 2 o'clock p, m., of said
day the following lands and tenements, to-wit: the undivided one-sixth of the south half of in-lots in the town
of Perrysburg, Wood county, Ohio, subject to widows
dower, described as follows, to-wit: 338, 359, 362, 383
and the whole of 122. G. E. GUYER, sheriff. JAMES MURRAY, atty. March 27t 1861-47w5\$3.

MASTER COMMISSIONER'S SALE.

Stephen Eldridge adm'r vs Joseph Crain. By virtue of an order of sale from the Court of Com-mon Pleas of Wood county, Ohio, I expose to public sale, at the door of the Court House, in Perrysburg, on Saturday, April 27th, 1861, between the hours of 12 m. and 2 o'clock p. m., the following described land and tenements situate in Wood county, Ohio, to-wit: the east half of the north-west quarter of section number thirty-six, in township five, range ten east, containing 80 acres of land more or less. PETER BELL, Master Com.

Cook & Por, atty's. March 14th, 1881-47w5\$3 00. DROBATE NOTICE.

Mariah E. Yount, adminstrator of Gabriel Yount dec.,

Mariah E. Yount, adminstrator of Gabriel Yount dec., vs. Thomas Yount, et al.

Jackson Yount, Abram Yount and Daniel Youxt, will take notice that Mariah E. Yount filed her petition in the Probate Court of Wood county, Ohio, on the 29th day of March, 1861, setting forth that the debts against said estate amount to about \$1,500, asking an order to sell the following described tract of land: all that part of the east testing for the enternal section fifteen, town six range 10 laying half of fractional section fifteen, town six range 10 laying east of the Dayton and Michigan railroad in Wood county, Ohio, containing sixty acres more or less. Соок, Ракся & Johnson, att'ys.

April 3d, 1861-48w4\$2 50.

DOAD NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that a petition will be presented to the commissioners of Wood county, Ohio, at their next stated meeting for a county road commencing at the county road on the line between Wood and Hancock counties, thence north through the centers of the east half of sections 33, 28 and 21 in Jackson township in said

county, terminating at the east and west road on the north line of said section 21. JAS, FERGUSON and others. April 8, 1861,-49w3*

THE WELL KNOWN HORSE JOHN RODNEY Will be at Tontogany, on Mondays and Tuesdays; at Gilead, Wednesdays and Thursdays; at New Westfield, Fridays and Saturdays of each week during the season. The best reccommendation of the horse, is the stock, which can be seen throughout Wood county.

For particulars enquire at the above named places.

SAMUEL BLYTHE.

Gilead, April 16th, 1861—49w3*

ATTACHMENT NOTICE.

Wm. R. Peck vs Wm. Thomas. Before Daniel Noyes, J. P. of Center township, Wood County, Ohio,
On the 13th day of March, 1861, said Justice issued au attachment in the above entitled cause for the sum of \$23 55 and \$49 probable cost, W. R. PECK.
April 10th, 1861—49w3*

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M. SHOEMAKER, Gen. Fr't and T'k't Ag't, To-Perryaburg, Jan. 2d, 1861-30uf.

The Perrysburg Mournal. enable the commissioners of the sinking fund to carry out the provisions of this act, the sum of five thousand dol-

Columbus Correspondence.

COLUMBUS, O., April 15, 1861. EDITOR OF JOURNAL:—As the legislature draws to a

close, such bills as have been occupying the attention of committees are reported back and finally disposed of.—
This makes lively times for all connected with it.

One of the most important bills of the present session was the one providing for the sale of railroads. There are a number of railroad companies in the state that will avail themselves of its provisions at an early day. It is designed to protect railroad companies as far as may be consistent with the interests of their creditors and of the public.

Another bill relative to railroads, of considerable im-portance, has also passed. I refer to the bill which is designed to prevent the combination of certain companie to monopolize business and prevent a legitimate and pro-per competition. This bill was introduced, I believe, at the suggestion of the friends of the Dayton & Michigan the suggestion of the friends of the Dayton & Michigan Railroad, and it owes much of its success to the untiring effects of the superintendent of that road. It will enable them to reduce their tariff on all freight to be carried over the Cincinnati, Hamilton & Dayton road, without dimin-

The bill to encourage and insure the safe keeping of the public arms in the bands of Volunteer companies has passed. This bill allows each company five dollars per man to be exclusively applied to the care of the compa-

ny's arms.

A bill has passed which prohibits revulving swings, whirligigs, shows, &c., from a nearer approach to county fair grounds than one-half a mile, unless by permisston of the board of managers.

The bill to panish those who may be in the habit of marking the tickets of doubtful voters, passed and is now

a law. . . . The bill providing for the erection of a new peniten. tiarr passed both branches of the Generally Assembly and the Senate has had about thirty ballots on the lecation without any approach towards a settlement of the question. Hamilton has had the highest vote, and the contest will probably rest between that place and Zanesville. I have no doubt but its location at Hamilton would best promote the interests of your county, since the communication is direct, and it would also add much to the business of the Dayton & Michigan road, in which

your people are deeply interested.

The bill for leasing the public works still hangs fire in the Senate. The Backus company's bid of \$10,000 per year for ten years, which passed the House, drew forth other propositions; one from Conover & Co., of Piqua for 15,000; one from Old Jo. Cooper, of Cincinnati, for \$20,000; and still another from Conover & Co., for \$25,-000. The Senate in committee of the whole, struch out the specific lease, and adopted a plan for leasing to the highest bidder, providing that they should not be leosed for less than \$20,000. A motion to make the minimum correspond with the bid of Conover & Co., \$25,000, was voted down, to the surprise of all. The old rats still hang about here. They embrace a large number of the real old Norway stripe, with occasionally a man who has hitherto borne a good character. The fate of the measure is set in Junta.

The committee apood character. The fate of the measure is yet in doubt.

The committee appointed to fix upon a plan for the apportionment of the State for Congressional purposes, have reported a bill for that purpose. It was agreed upon in Republican caucus, but does not, of course, satisfy all Republicans: and some of them will yote against it: perhaps enough to compel a change in the present draft, or defeat it altogether. The plan now proposed makes the fifth district embrace the following counties; Witthe fifth district embrace the following counties; Wil-liams, Fulton, Lucas, Wood, Ottowa, Sandusky and Sen-eca. The district, as thus constituted, will have a popu-lation of 133,426; being more than three thousand over the number of inhabitants required for a district. When you reflect that most of the counties composing the dis-trict are new and rapidly increasing in population, you will agree with me that we should have less, rather than more than 130,000 inhabitants. Again: the interests of the district are not mutual. Somes, Sandusky and Otthe district are not mutual. Seneca. Sandusky and Ottawa, are strangers, naturally so, to the balance of the district. Those of the north-west with whom I have conversed, want the old district without Hancock county. This would leave you about right in population, and every county in the district would have one common interest and one common outlet for its trade. Nevertheless, members of the legislature will take a comprehensive view of the whole ground, and must act for the general

The news of the surrender of Fort Sumter was published here in extras vesterday morning, and created in-tense excitement. There is talk that the legislature will to-lay appropriate \$1,000,000, and it is believed that ev-ery dollar can be taised in the State in less than one week. Every patriotic heart is fired with indignation, and noth-Every patriotic heart is fired with indignation, and nothing short of the complete overthrow of the traiters will satisfy the Northern people. The Governor has been proffered a large number of soldiers, and the prospect now is that no delay will be had in prosecuting the war to the bitter end? It is thought here that it will be scarcely possible to save Washington. The south are ready and anxious for the attack, while the North are illy prepared for the

for it.

A resolution passed both branches of the legislature to adjourn sine die on the 22d, but it will be quite impossible for the business to be completed in that time, even should it not be necessary to take some action with refer-

should it not be necessary to take some action with reference to the affairs of the nation.

Few persons, not intimately conversant with the business connected with the Attorney General's office, have no idea of the amount of labor and responsibility attached to it. The people generally regard it as a sinecure, and legislators, who ought to know better, seem to be governed by this belief in fixing the salary of that officer and his clerk. The law makes it the duty of the Attorney General to give written opinions on legal questions at the request of either branch of the General Assembly, of any state officer, prosecuting attorney, or county commissioners. Except in the last two cases mentioned, these in his office. The importance of these written opinions will promptly organize and report to this department. in his office. The importance of these written opinions cannot be overestimated, since they generally decide the policy of the state officials on matters of the greatest moment. They partake of the nature, to a very great ex-tent, of the decisions of the Supreme Bench. Now I have no doubt but you and your readers will be surprised who: I tell you that the number of written opinious required at the hands of the Attorney General since January 14th exclusive of advice to prosecuting attorneys and county commissioners, is forty-seen I and many of these have necessarily been of considerable length. In addition to this, that officer has been required to answer many in-quiries, other than legal, made by the General Assembly, do not know what number of lovers the Attorney Genral has been compelled to prepare during that same peri-od of time, nor how much other business it has been ne-cessary for him to transact in connection with suits pendng in court, of which there are about one hundred and firty. The present Attorney General is remarkably in-dustrious, and thoroughly posted on all legal questions otherwise the business of his office would accumulate or his hands or be but poorly attended to, neither of which is the case. Mr. Murray's promptness and ability in the discharge of his official duties, are complimented on all

A Bill o provide for the defense of the state, and for the support of the Federal Government against rebellion:
SECTION 1. Be it consted by the General Assembly of the State of Ohio, That there be and becoby is approprihe State of Otto, That there he and hereby is appropri-ated, the sum of four hundred and fifty thousand dollars for the purchase of arms and equipments for the militia of the State, to be expended under the authority and di-rection of the Governor, and andited and paid upon ac-counts exertified and allowed by him.

Size, 2. That there he and hereby is appropriated, the further sum of five hundred thousand dollars, to be ex-

pended under the direction and authority of the Gover-nor, in the support and maintenance of the Pederal Gov-ernment against the existing rebellion.

Sec. 3. That there he and hereby is appropriated and slaced noder the control of the Governor as an extraordi-bary contingent fund, the further sum of fifty thousand

dollars, to meet the emergencies arising out of the predollars, to meet the country,
ent condition of the country,
Sec. 4. That, for the purpose of paying the appropriations in this act contained, the commissioners of the
Sinking Fund be and they are hereby authorized and emowered, to horrow, on the faith and credit of the state

such sum and sum of money not exceeding in the aggre-gate seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars, as may be ascertained by the auditor of state, and from time to

me certified to them to be necessary to meet the after said expenditures.

SEC. 5. Whenever it shall become necessary to be Sec. 5. Whenever it shall become necessary to borrow any sum of money under the authority of this act, the commissioners of the sinking fund shall take such messures, and give such public notice by advertisement and otherwise, as in their judgment may be needful to enable them to obtain the same without unnecessary delay; and for the moneys so borrowed, the commissioners shall issue certificates to the proper parties, payable at the treasury of the state at such time and times as they may down precess but not longer than five years from the shall bear interest at the rate not exceeding six per con um per annum, payable soni annually at the state treat

the provisions of this act, the sum of five thousand dellars is hereby appropriated for that purpose out of any funds in the state treasury.

SEC. 6. That for the purpose of raising the money necessary to repay the amount that may be borrowed under the authority of this act, and the interests thereon, and to meet the expense that may be incurred by the state, and necessary for the support of the Federal Government am the maintenance of the honor of this state, there be and hereby is levied a tax of seven twentieths of one mill on the dellar of the tarable valuation of property on the on the dollar of the taxable valuation of property on the grand duplicate of the state, for each of the years 1861, 1862, 1863, 1864 and 1865. The proceeds of which are hereby irrevocably pledged to the purposes aforesaid.

SEC. 7. This act shall take effect and be in force upon its passages.

The Governor's Proclamation.

EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT, COLUMNUS, April 15, 1861.

The President of the United States has, by his proclamation of the date of the 14th inst., called upon the militis of the several states of the Union to the aggregate of 75,000 to suppress certain combinations in several of the states which are too powerful to be suppressed in the or-dinary way, and so enable him to execute the laws, he dinary way, and so enable him to execute the laws, he earnestly appeals to all loyaletizous to facilitate and aid his efforts to maintain the laws, the integrity of the National Union, and the perpetuity of popular Governments, and to redress wrongs that have long been endured. I have assured the President that the people of white will promptly respond to his call, and will furnish the largest number of the required force that he will need. This I number of the required force that he will used. This have done because of my knowledge of your loyalty to be Union and your devotion to the free institutions trans

mitted to us by our fathers.

The people of Ohio, while ever ready to extend to the The people of Ohio, while ever ready to extend to their brothren of other states all their just rights, and the full benefit of all constitutional guarantees, will spare neither men nor means for the preservation of the Union and the defense of the national honor. Now, by virtue of my office, as Governor of the State of Ohio, I call upon you to organize yourselves into companies, and notify me thereof. Government orders will be issued from the proper department, informing you of all the details relating to organization and mustering into service.

The requisition upon Ohio is for thirteen regiments for immediate service. War is now waged against your Government by the insurgent states of the south. Actual hostilities have commenced. Armed resistance has been

hostilities have commenced. Armed resistance has been successfully made by the robels of South Carolina to the efforts of the Government to furnish supplies to the famished garrison of Fort Sumter. The national flag has been insulted and the safety of the national capital is threatened. Your patriotism points to you the path of duty in this crisis. You need no appeal from me to testify your loyalty to the General Government. The Con-stitution must be maintained, the Union must be preserv-ed, and the laws must be enforced. Signed,

QUARTERNASTER GENERAL'S OFFICE.)

COLUMBUS, April 15, 1861.
To His Eccellency, William Dennison, Governor and C munder-in-chief 2 Sin: I have the honor herewith to submit estimates for arming troops as per your directions predicated upon an expenditure of four hundred and fifty thousand dellars, an expenditure of four hundred and fifty thousand dollars, viz: estimate of cost of arming 1,000 cavalry, 920 artillery and 1,700 infantry, allowing for the serviceable arms owned by the state, fit for troops, on a war footing for 1,000 cavalry, 1,000 Sharp's carbines at \$30.25 - \$30.250; 1,000 Colt's holster pistols at \$25 - \$25,000; 795 regular cavalry sabros at \$8,50 - 757,50; 794 setts cavalry equipments at \$6,40 - 4,288; 1,000 setts horse equipage at \$39 - 39,000. Total, \$105,295,50.

For 920 artillery for repairs on 46 cannons and carriages, \$1,000; 20 caisons at \$386 - 7,720; 8 battery wagons at \$774 - \$6,196,80; 8 traveling forces at \$447.75 - \$3,583; 64 setts wheel harness at \$67.25 - \$4.504; 172 setts lead-harness at \$56,25 - \$9,675; 620 horse artillery sabres at \$6,20 - 44,377. Total, \$36,854.80.

For \$4,00 infantry, 16,100 rifle muskets at \$13,93 - \$224,273; 16,100 setts of infantry equipments at \$4.02 insolence.

The above estimates are predicated upon the prices

trains, to furnish camp equipage, &c., would require a sum at least equal to the above. Respectfully submitted, W. L. Wood, Quartermaster General.

General Order No. 13. ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE. Concurres, April 15, 1861. (
The General Assembly of Ohio direct the constitutional element of all white male citizens between the ages of eighteen and forty-five years, and that the militia re-serve be organized, additional to the regular militia. Any citizen who shall propose to organize such company, will address this Department, when, if his application be ap-proved, he will receive a blank for the signatures of his

ompany.

When the roll is returned to this office, and accepted, an order will issue for the election of officers.

Such officers will be duly commissioned; but will not
be required to wear the uniform or perform the duties of

will promptly organize and report to this department.
[Signed,] H. B. Causington, Adjt. Gen., Signed, H. B. CARRIN By order of Commander-in-Chief,

GENERAL ORDER NO. 14.

Wit's no uncertain confidence in the people, they are called upon to furnish, fortwith, the complement of uniformed troops, which will increase the force of Ohio to six thousand efficient and disciplined men. Application for the organization of new companies will be made to this Department, in case no general officer resides in the District within which the proposed company is organized. Such general officer must have informed himself and complied with the laws and general regulations heretofore promulgated, and all officers, of whatever trade, will be held responsible for their familiarity with their several doties, general and special, and for discipline. Moral conduct and perfection of their command. The basis of infantry organization will be twenty-five regiments, the companies making up the six thousand men to be assigned by the general orders to be issued forthwith. Until further orders, new companies will consist of not less than forty nor more than fifty uniformed, including two musicians, who will be called the same as privates. Companies already equipped and disciplined which file with this department the claim to be held subject to order, will furnish therewith a complete roll of names to be relied upon, that in any energency the order may be issued with the practical assurance of the force at com-

The promptness with which such a tender has been made heretofore, is accepted as good evidence that the Ohio Volunteer Militia, aheady organized, is worthy the confidence and support of the General Assembly, the people, and the country at large, and that the official en-dersement of this department to the state authorities, of the condition of such militia is cutilled to full credit.

H. B. CARRINGTON, Adjutant General of Ohio, By order of Commander-in-Chief.

King Cotton.

of Kentucky, Maryland and Virginia are said that it still floated upon the breeze that kissed to be hostile to the theory that cotton is king. his gory brow; the flag that your fathers being none produced in those States, of baptised in holy consecration with their blood course there is nothing to recommend it to their favor. The cotton States' theory is to buy dard, and left to trail in the dust beneath the everything in Europe, where the cotton is to banner of a rebellious host ! Shall it remain be sold ; but this does not suit Kentucky, there? or will you rescue it from its degrada-Maryland and Virginia, which sell hogs, cat- tion, and once sgain give it to the breeze, tle, wheat and corn, to the free States. These proudly defiant of native or foreign foes ? --States want markets both ways, North and South, and a hoose market as well as a for- voice in deciding. eign one. The cotton theory of selling everything and buying everything on the other side of the Atlantic, does not suit their case. dred and ninety letters sent to the dead The more they think of it, the better they letter office during the past year, which conwill be satisfied that it there must be a cotton tained an aggregate of \$52 154. 66. may does proper, but not longer than five years from the first day of May, A. D. 1861. The certificates so issued kingdom, those who raise no cotton had better keep out of it.

ury, on the first day of May and the first day of November in each year, and shall not be subject to any tax or assessment levied under the authority of this state. To the Savannah, Ga., market a few days ago. pe. bushel.

Opinions of the Press. [From the Baltimore Patriot.]

One would have supposed that a high toned and brave people would have permitted a continuation of daily supplies to a garrison of but seventy men. It was evident that such a force as that—hardly more than a carporal's guard-could never endanger any rights of the people of South Carolina. It was hardly sufficient to have the proper care of the United States property in time of peace. And yet, without even waiting for a plausible pretext in the arrival, or attempt to enter, of the unarmed supply ship, whose errand was announced to their Commissioners, South Carolina has thought proper to inaugurate civil

The grief and sense of humiliation we feel compals a different tone in speaking of so great an outrage and crime against humanity, liberty, order, and law, as it justly calls for. The result is evident among our own people. All party and political distinctions must be effaced.

All such petty matters fade out before the great question as twinkling stars fade out before the rising sun. There can be but two sets of men amoung us-those who are for the Union, and those who are against it. We shall now learn who are for the Government of the United States, and who are for the Government of the "Confederate States" -who are for the maintenance of that Union which Washington founded, defended, and left as a sacred legacy to his countrymen: and we shall know who are for breaking it up, and succumbing to the tyranny of a political party in armed rebellion against the laws of the land.

"The Federal Government," said Andrew ackson, "it must and shall be preserved."

[From the Boston Herald-Douglas Democrat.] On the fact that the war has been commenced by the self-constituted government at Montgomery, without any other provocation than an attempt to supply Major Anderson with provisions to keep his garrison from starving-an errand of mercy and not of taunt, threat or menance,-we have no space to comment this morning. That the administration will be sustained in its efforts to preserve the Government we have not the least doubt. It is a quarrel the Free States have sought to avoid but being dragged into it will bravely maintain their principles and

[From the Cincinnati Gazette.]

The attack on Fort Sumter without any offense or injurious act on the pert of its commander, or of the Government which directs him, has completed the record. For four months every act of aggression, of insult and \$224.273: 16,100 setts of infantry equipments ut \$4.02

-\$64,722: 2,221 non-commissioned officers' and musicians' swords, \$13,936,30 -\$302,931.30. Total, \$445,
States against the Government and people of the American nation which can be possibly furnished by the Ordnance Department at Washington.
To place this number of troops in the field, to mount the This has come, and henceforth we have to cavalry, provide horses for the artillery and baggage hear the sound of war and the combat of battles. The rebel army, deliberately fired on the flag of the American nation-that flag which has been borne triumphantly on the battle and the breeze for near eighty years; that flag which has so long protected those these very traitors, and been respected by every foreign nation throughout the globe. The record is made up. He who is not for his country is against it. Let every loyal heart now rally to the country. Let the flag be borne aloft, and the battle will end with a victory for the Union, for humanity and the

[From the Philadelphia Press, Dem.]

The climax of rebellious folly has been eached, and war has been commerced by the traitors who, after perpetating, with impunity, many flagrant ou rages, heaping every imaginable insult upon the Government, and in the most au lacious manner setting its authority at defince, have not been contented with perfect f eedom from the chastisement which they richly deserved, but have opened their batteries upon an American fort and rendered a bloody contest inevitable. Pitying their weakness, and anxious to exhau t every reasonable expedient for the proservation of peace, the nation has treated those who have proved themselves to be its most deadly and unrelenting fors with a degree of magnanimtiy and forbestance unprecedented in the antals of the world. But now that they have unsheathed their swords and thrown away their scabbards: now that they have shown that they will not be content with rioting in rebellion, and that th y are determined, if possible, to overwhelm with disgrace and dishonor the great Republic they have labored so assiduously to destroy, every consideration of pariotism and self-respect will prompt all Americans whose hearts are un ainted with treason to teach the conspirators that if they do not obey the laws of their country, they must still respect its flag. [From the Cleveland Leader.]

Men of Ohio ! the flag of our country-the flag that has never yet lowered to a foreign foe; the flag that has for 80 years been the easign which the oppressed and down-trodden of earth have looked to with eager and wistful eye; the flag that tells of heroic struggles and noble deeds of valor on many a hard fought field, and many a staunch old ship; the flig to which many a dying soldier has The farmers and mechanics, the solid men turned his glazing eye, and thanked his God -this flag has been torn down from its stan-This is a question which you must have a

-There were nine thousand seven hun-

-Apples of the very finest quality are said to be now selling in the market of Erie, -Strawberries made their appearance in Pennsylvania, for from fifteen to twenty cents

and Fort Christian selection at a land